MOST HOLY TRINITY

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. John 3:16

THE CATHOLIC PARISHES OF MILLBURY
ST. BRIGID † OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION

Parish Offices Are Located At:

St. Brigid Parish
59 Main Street, Millbury, MA 01527
Mon. - Thurs. 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM
(508) 865-6624 • **Fax:** (508) 865-3101

Assumption Parish Phone: (508) 865-2657

St. Vincent de Paul: (774) 262-5506

www.assumptionmillbury.org
www.stbrigidparish.org

Check our websites for individual email addresses.

Mass Times

Assumption Church
12 Waters Street

Mon. & Thurs.: 9:00 AM
Tues. & Wed.: 7:00 AM
Sun.: 9:00 AM

St. Brigid Church
59 Main Street

Sat.: 4:00 PM
Sun.: 7:00 AM & 11:00 AM (June - Sept.)
Sun.: 7:00 AM & 11:30 AM (Oct. - May)

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Melissa Turner, *Administrative Assistant, Cantor*

Sacraments of the Church

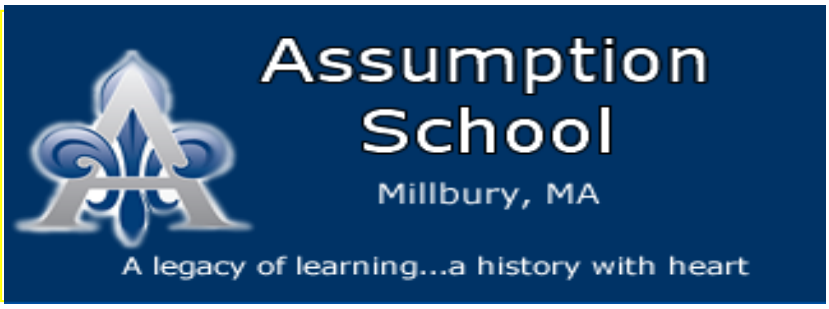
Reconciliation/Confession
Saturdays 3 PM to 3:45 PM or anytime upon request.

Baptism
Baptism Gatherings, to prepare families for the sacrament of Baptism, are held four times a year. Baptisms are held each month. For more information, or to make arrangements, please call the parish offices at (508) 864.6624.

Marriage
Please call the rectory at least one year in advance.

Anointing of the Sick and Communion Calls
Please call the rectory when a parishioner is confined at home, is in the hospital, or placed in a nursing home or hospice. Holy Communion is brought to shut-ins upon request.

How to Reach Us
Members of the staff may be contacted by calling the Parish Offices at (508) 865-6624. The offices are open Monday through Thursday from 8:30 AM until 3 PM, with a half-hour lunch break beginning at 12:30 PM. If the offices are closed, feel free to leave a voicemail and we will get back to you as soon as we are able.



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Mass Intentions

Sat., June 6
4:00 PM **Crystal Dowding (Birthday)**
By: The Prue Family

Sun., June 7
7:00 AM **Timothy Guertin**
By: The McCarron Family
9:00 AM **John 'Jack' Kennedy**
By: Aline Bourdeau
11:00 AM **Christina Erickson & Edward Crowley**
By: The Family

Mon., June 8
7:00 AM **Douglas Puckly**
By: Fr. Dan

Tues., June 9
7:00 AM **The People of the Catholic Parishes of Millbury**

Wed., June 10
7:00 AM **The Deceased Members of the Richard Family**
By: Sr. Jeanne

Thurs. June 11
7:00 AM **Anita Watts**
By: Aline Bourdeau

Sat., June 13
4:00 PM **Duane Wunn**
By: Denise Wunn

Sun., June 14
7:00 AM **William & Janet Blunt**
By: The Family
9:00 AM **David Bourdeau**
By: The Tronerud Family
11:00 AM **Neal Thomas (4th Anniversary)**
By: His Wife, Susan

(N.B. Mass Intentions are handwritten in the official Daily Mass Record Book. Our apologies for any errors or misspelled names.)

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Word of Life — June 7

"The Gospel of Life is at the *heart* of Jesus' saving message to the world. Through the Incarnation of Christ, God reveals to us the dignity of all human life."

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities
"Pope St. John Paul II's Challenge to Our Church"

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday, June 13, 4 PM at St. Brigid

AS: H Prue, T Yaz
L: K Levitre
EM: H Quan, J Hanratty

Sunday, June 14, 7:00 AM at St. Brigid

AS: J. Mazeika
L: T Mattus
EM: M & B Blunt

Sunday, June 14, 9:00 AM at Assumption

AS: A Weeks, M Hoban
L: J Hoban
EM: T Tronerud, M Sprino

Sunday, June 14, 11:00 AM at St. Brigid

AS: T & F Jakubiak
L: Z. & R. Curnen
EM: R Spain, M Sampson

We are asking all Servers, EM'S, and Lectors to help after Mass to wipe down the pews. Thank you in advance and we can't wait to see everyone again.
God Bless, Deacon Ron

Scripture for the week of June 7, 2020

7	SUN	Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9/2 Cor 13:11-13/Jn 3:16-18
8	Mon	1 Kgs 17:1-6/Mt 5:1-12
9	Tue	1 Kgs 17:7-16/Mt 5:13-16
10	Wed	1 Kgs 18:20-39/Mt 5:17-19
11	Thu	Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3/Mt 5:20-26
12	Fri	1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16/Mt 5:27-32
13	Sat	1 Kgs 19:19-21/Mt 5:33-37
14	SUN	Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a/1 Cor 10:16-17/Jn 6:51-58

A big Thank You to Stuart Mulhane for removing the stumps behind Our Blessed Mother. Thanks!

SANCTUARY CANDLES BURNING JUNE 6-12

St. Brigid
In Loving Memory of
Christina Erickson & Edward Crowley
Requested by: The Family

In Loving Memory of
Timothy Guertin
Requested by: The Family

Rest in Peace

In the charity of your prayers, please remember the souls of **M. Rita (Devoe) Larosse, Patricia McDonough, and Robert J. Hamilton,** who have gone home to God. May they rest in Christ's eternal light and peace.

Remember in Prayer this Week:

Those who serve in our Military:

Marc Winchester **Emily Weagle**
Patrick Weeks **Denzel Parker**
Andrew Hafferty

Forms are available at each parish to add names to the Prayer List or call the rectory at 508-865-6624 with your request.

Office and Parish Reopening information

Daily Masses for the time being are at 7 AM at Assumption. Weekend Mass times are 4 PM Saturday; Sunday, 7 AM, 9 AM & 11AM. **See page 10** for Mass details. The office is open; please wear a mask if you stop by, or parishioners are encouraged to call the office at 508.865.6624. Churches remain OPEN from 7 AM-3 PM for personal prayer.

MINISTRY OF PRAYER : Prayer Line 508-865-5373
If you, or someone you know, is in need of prayer, call the confidential prayer line listed above.

In Loving Memory

John & Julia Anger
Lee Aubin
Maryann Auger
Jeanne Augustine
Larry F. Army
Albina Bartkus
Edward Bartkus
Arthur G. Boucher
Natalie Bourdeau
Patricia Bourdeau
Sylvio E. Bourdeau
F. Joseph and Mary Brady
Joseph & Rose Cataldo
Frank Cammuso
Philip Chabot, Sr.
Albert and Helen Collette
Pat and Tiff Correia
Donna "Gain" Cournoyer
Karen A. Courville
Roland O. Couture
Arthur "Archie" Cronin
Gerald & Peggy Croteau
George A. D'Auteuil, Jr.
George A. D'Auteuil, Sr.

Kathleen M. DeCillis
Raymond DeRouin
Armand Desorcy
Joseph Dunn
Timothy P. Eckland
Jonathan Favreau
Lois M. Fisher
Gabrielle G. Gaboriault
Joe & Jean Gagliardi
William Gain, Jr.
Bernice Gaudere
Reggie Gauthier
Ruth Gonsorcik
Daniel Guadagnoli
John & Irene Guyan
Robert James (Sam) Guyan
Betty A. Hamilton
Derek Hamilton
Patricia Hamilton
Matthew Hartline
John Huchowski
Paul J. Jandron
Joanne Juskavitch
Joseph V. Kane

Claire Kobel
Richard Kroll
Michael P. Krumsiek
Robert P. LaCrosse, Sr.
Lillian Langevin
Tan Le
Noe R. LeBeau, Sr.
Edward L. Lemoine
Kevin Lemoine
Rita Lemoine
Lorraine Letendre
Mark Lizotte
William and Irene Louis
Leo & Jane Metivier
Kenneth Michalak
Mary B. Mrozinski
Lorraine Mooney
Daniel R. Mulcahy, Sr.
Joseph Noonan
Albert Nikosey
Charles F. O'Connor, Jr.
John P. & Bridget O'Malley
Richard P. Raymond
Virginia Richnick
Stephen Rodwill

Elaine Roy
Darlene Russell
Dorothy Russell
Marshall Russell
Michael W. Russell
William Russell
Albert & June Russo
Bob & Rita Shea
Lucien Sirard
Maureen L. Stacy
C. Richard Stockhaus
Joseph F. Stockwell
James Tabor
Neal R. Thomas
Connor Tronerud
Chester Urban
Robert E. Vaillancourt
Nancy Vaillancourt
Lucille Vecchione
William T. Walsh
Margaret Wendt
Dolores White
Ronald Woodward
Duane & Dolores Wunn
Frank J. Yaz

Would you like to remember a loved one in our Remembrance section? The cost of enrollment will be a $50 donation for the year. Please contact the office (508) 865-6624 to enroll your loved one(s).

This Week *

SATURDAY ~ JUNE 6
No Events

SUNDAY ~ JUNE 7
SLAA @ CPO 7:30 PM

MONDAY ~ JUNE 8
AA @ SBH 7 PM
GA @ OLAH 8-9:30 PM

TUESDAY ~ JUNE 9
OA @ SBH 6:30-8 PM

WEDNESDAY ~ JUNE 10
No Events

THURSDAY ~ JUNE 11
No Events

FRIDAY ~ JUNE 12
No Events

SATURDAY ~ JUNE 13
No Events

SUNDAY ~ JUNE 14
SLAA @ CPO 7:30 PM

***For groups that use the halls: We are listing 'No Events' until schedules are confirmed. Please email catholicparishesofmillbury@gmail.com when your regularly scheduled events resume. Thanks!**

KEY TO LOCATIONS

SBC=St. Brigid Church
SBH=St. Brigid Hall
CPO=Catholic Parish Offices
OLAC=Assumption Church
OLAH=Assumption Hall

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Diocese of Worcester
Catholic Parishes of Millbury
Phone: 774-262-5506

MONTHLY MEETINGS
3rd Sunday - 10:00 AM
The Offices of the
Catholic Parishes of Millbury
New Members Welcome!

PARISH FOOD COLLECTION
Monthly: 1st Weekend
Food Bins are located in the Main Entrance of the Church

All food donations must be dropped off on food drive dates and placed in the large blue bins only, no exceptions. NO Perishables, NO Cleanouts.

FOOD DISTRIBUTION
Monthly: 1st Weekend - 12:15 PM
St. Brigid Church Hall

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS LIST
THE PANTRY IS IN NEED OF:
Oatmeal, Pancake Mix, Pancake Syrup, Paper Goods, Snacks
Please No Perishable, Expired Dates, or Pet Food.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL THRIFT SHOP
Mon.-Sat.: 9AM-4PM, 507 Park Ave., Worcester
(508) 752-4232

Live and Live Stream Schedule of Events

Welcome back! Daily Masses resumed Tuesday, May 26, and all daily Masses for the time being will be at 7 AM at Assumption. Weekend Masses resumed last weekend. Mass times are 4 PM Saturday; Sunday, 7 AM, 9 AM & 11AM at their usual locations. **See page 10 for new Mass guidelines.** The Catholic Parishes of Millbury are still bringing parishioners live streamed events from St. Brigid and Our Lady of Assumption Churches. Sign up for Flocknotes for event reminders and visit our Facebook page at The Catholic Parishes of Millbury, MA to view our live stream events. Morning prayers can be found on the Assumption School website, which is linked to our stbrigidparish.org site.

Lord's Day Masses

We will continue to live stream the 9 AM Mass until further notice.
Saturday: The 4 PM Mass will be recorded and shown on local cable.
Sunday: The 9 AM Mass will be live streamed.
We invite you to tune it to Millbury Public Access TV for rebroadcast of our Lord's Day Mass. On Cable it can be found at Charter Channel 194 and Verizon Channel 28. You can see the Mass on Sunday at 9AM, Monday at 2 PM, Tuesday at 6 PM and Friday at 2 PM.

Weekday Devotions

At this time, only the Wednesday Adoration will be continue to be live streamed. Time TBD. Watch Flocknotes for updates.

Other Events

On the Videos page of our Facebook page, Deacon Ron will lead the Rosary, which can be accessed at any time.

Visit stbrigidparish.org for links to our Facebook page.

STEWARDSHIP

SECOND COLLECTIONS:
June 7—Debt
June 14—Debt

Catholic Parishes of Millbury
Income
Weekend of May 23-24, 2020

Regular Weekly Collection	$3,195.00
Ordinary Collection Monthly	$330.00
Electronic Giving (May 26-June 1, 2020)	$1,632.00
Total Regular Weekly Collection	**$5,157.00**
Other Parish Income:	
Debt *(incl. online when appl.)*	$318.00
Specialty Ministries *(incl. online when appl.)*	$15.00
Utilities *(incl. online when applicable)*	$182.00
SVDP *(incl. online when applicable)*	$30.00
PPP Loan (*First two weeks)*	$14,400.00
In Remembrance	$50.00
Mass Stipends	$80.00
Candles	$50.00
Funerals	$300.00
Easter Flowers	$10.00
Mustard Seed	$30.00
Faith Formation Collection & Registration	$22.00
OLA Music Reimbursement	$685.00
Ascension Thursday	$47.00
Total Other Income	**$16,219.00**
Total Income	**$21,376.00**

Cash Flow figures will appear in a future bulletin.

Thank you for your support of The Catholic Parishes of Millbury! Parishioners may drop off or mail envelopes to 59 Main Street. Please write envelope number in check memo line. Visit stbrigidparish.org and click the Online Giving button to set up electronic giving.

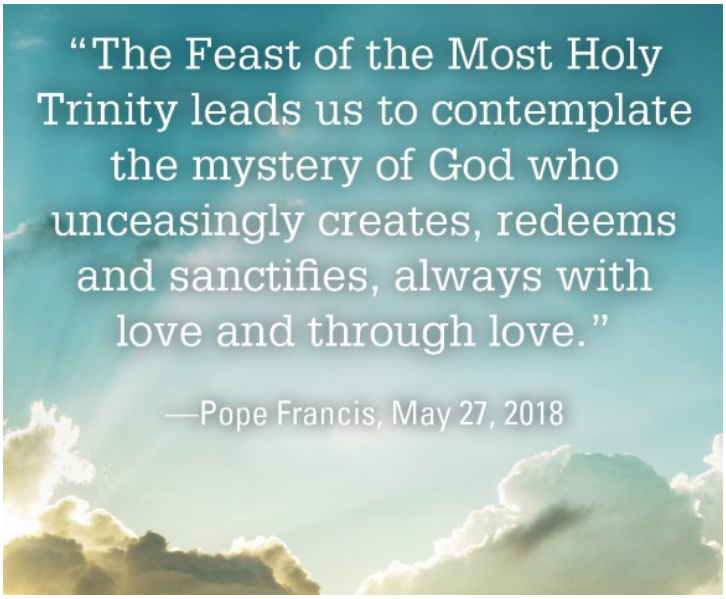
Partners in Charity 2020 goals: **St. Brigid: $60,000;** and **Our Lady of the Assumption: $20,000.** To date, the totals are OLAS: $16,175; St. Brigid: $31,625. Thank you!

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

"God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life." Let God amplify the love in your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are Sep 12-13, 2020 in Medway, MA and Oct 16-18, 2020 in TBD, NH. For more information, call Stephen & Michelle O'Leary at 800-710-9963 or visit them at https://wwmema.org/.

Senior Center Update

The Senior Center is closed to the Public.
While the building is not open to the public, the Food Pantry at the Millbury Senior Center is available from 9am to 1pm Monday thru Friday by calling 508-865-9247 for an appointment our food pantry is fully stocked at this time tell us what you need and you can pick it up or we will deliver it.
We are still here to answer any questions you may have and we are available for your transportation to Doctors appointments or if you need to go to the drug store for your prescriptions, we will take you there. If you don't have a mask, we will give you one.
Also if you are in need of a home delivered meal give us a call and we will set you up to get one delivered to you.
Sorry to say that all our June trips are canceled, we will be researching to see if they can be rescheduled in the future.
Keep safe and remember to wear a mask if you go out and to wash your hands frequently.



The Most Holy Trinity

"For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son..." (John 3:16)
Is your love conditional? Is there a price others have to pay to receive your love and forgiveness? Are you generous with your time, skills, money, and possessions? If you give someone something, do you expect something in return? Do you give your time freely or do you "fit it in" when it's convenient for you? God desires a personal relationship with us so much that He gave us His Son, unconditionally! Pray for a grateful and generous heart.

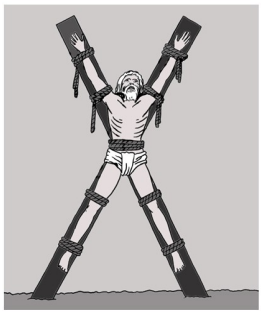
Faith Facts & Fun Activities

Saint of the Week

Saint Ephrem, Deacon and Doctor of the Church
306 – 373
Feast Day: June 9

Known to Syrian Christians as "the harp of the Holy Ghost," this Mesopotamian from Nisibia was baptized at 18 and may have accompanied his bishop to the Council of Nicaea in 325. He served as head of the cathedral school and left Nisibia only after it became Persian. In 363 he moved to a cave overlooking Edessa but preached frequently in the city and wrote many poems, and biblical commentaries; he organized a choir of women to sing his hymns during liturgies. About 370 he visited St. Basil in Caesarea. The winter before his death, he earned praise for managing relief supplies during a severe famine in Edessa. Ephrem is the only Syrian father declared a doctor of the church. ❖

Faith Facts



THE APOSTLE ANDREW

The apostle Andrew was the brother of Simon Peter. Like the other apostles, Andrew eventually went out from Palestine to evangelize the world. He seems to have preached in Greece and in areas to the north and east of Greece.

It seems certain that he was crucified by the Romans at a town called Patrae in southern Greece. He was not nailed to the cross but bound, in order to increase his sufferings.

It is often thought that he died on the form of cross shown in the picture, but there is no hard evidence for this.

He died on November 30th, A.D. 60.

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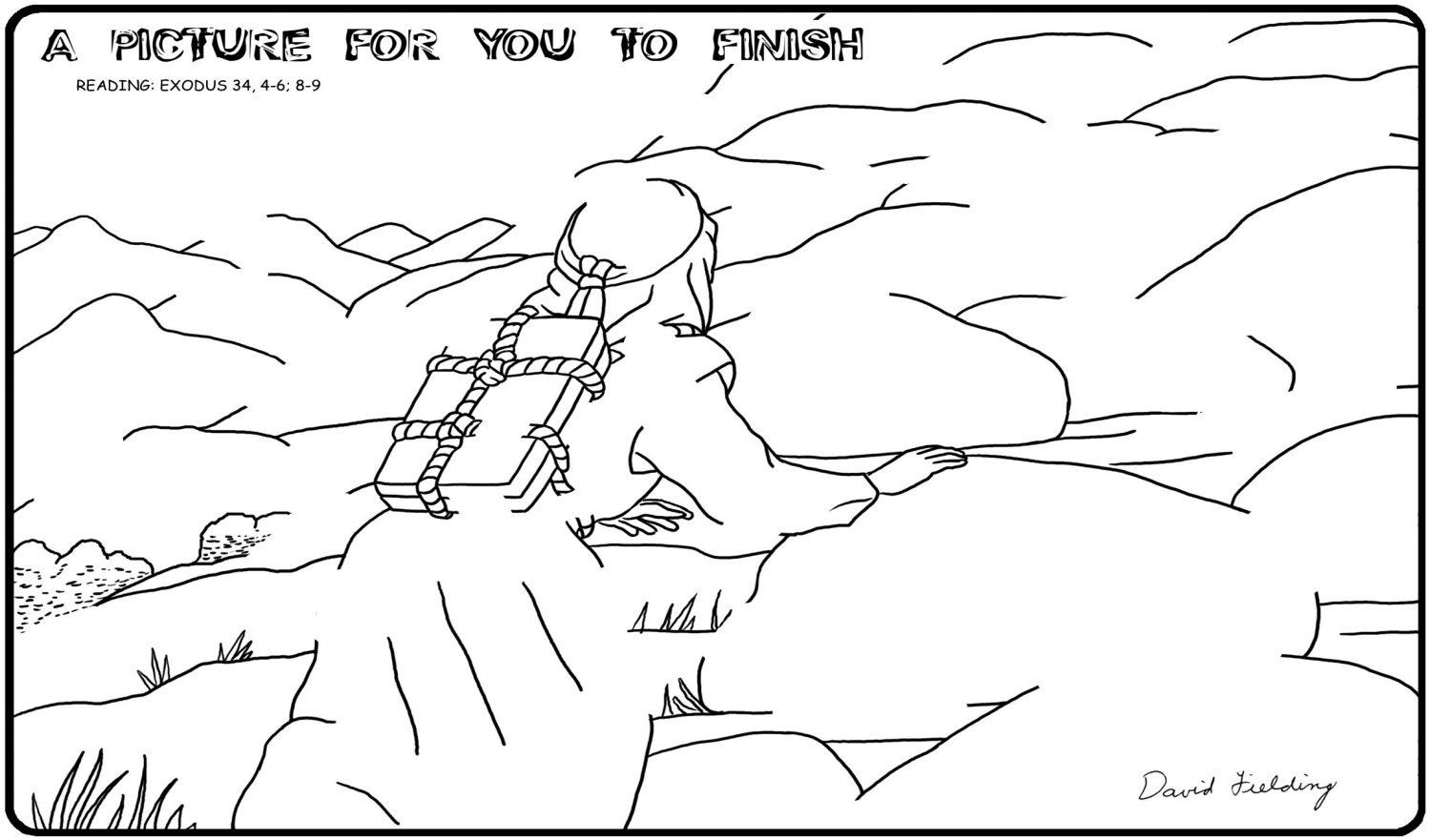

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Youth & Family Faith Formation

Rebuilding Our Youth Center

Here are some photos of our recent flooring update of the parishes' youth center located at St. Brigid. Progress has been slowed of course due to COVID, but we are hoping to open in the fall with a safe plan in place. Next week's bulletin we will begin listing some donation needs and wants for furniture, amenities, etc...to help make this space feel like a home for our young church.

CSAW 2020 Canceled :(

Due to the COVID outbreak, we won't be able to have CSAW this year. However, CSAW 2021 is planned for July 26-30, 2021 :)

Assumption School
Millbury, MA
A legacy of learning...a history with heart

Assumption School Third Grade Water Cycle Experiment

Third Grade student, Lily, is observing her water cycle experiment. It's a project given to the class by their teacher, Mrs. Bass.

YOUR SMILE FOR TODAY

Due to a slight hearing problem, history does not remember Doug and Gary, chicken herders of Bethlehem.

K of C Scholarship Deadline Extended

Greeting from your Knights of Columbus.

I sincerely hope and pray that you have all been able to stay safe during our quarantine time. As we slowly emerge from quarantine, I hope we continue to be vigilant and not let are guards down too quickly.

We thank Fr. Mike and Fr. Dan for their continued support of their parishes. For the live streaming of the Mass so we could continue to feel connected; a strong spiritual connection with one another.

We have also done our best, with social distancing, to continue our charitable works during these uncertain times. We have worked with local food pantries and also with the Mustard Seed and St. Paul's food pantry in Worcester. We have also supported the Urban Missionaries.

At this time we would like to remind our parishioners that we have **extended the deadline for the Annual Scholarship Fund to August 1st, 2020**. If you have not picked up your application yet, please do so. They are available in each parish church, or you can request one by emailing gpothier51@gmail.com. Please do not miss this opportunity.

Gods Peace be with you all,
Sincerely,
Gary Pothier, GK
Bishop Flanagan Council 12710

If you or someone you know has been sexually abused by a priest, religious, or lay person working for the Church, and you need a place to talk about your feelings of betrayal or hurt by the Church, call Judith Audette
Office for Healing and Prevention, (508) 929-4363.
A 24-hour-a-day confidential voicemail is available.

Guidelines for Returning to Mass

Weekend Mass Schedule now through September

Saint Brigid: Saturday 4:00PM; Sunday 7:00AM & 11:00AM
Our Lady of the Assumption: Sunday 9:00AM

What to Expect When We Return

While we return to celebrate Mass during this current reopening phase, here are some guidelines we ask that you observe at both churches:

- **ENTER/EXIT:** Use the front doors only at both churches for entry and exit. Only in an emergency, should the nearest safe exit be used.
- Anyone needing the accessible elevette at Assumption Church will still be able to do so via the rear hall door.

- **COVER UP:** Masks must be worn at all times in the church except when it is time to receive Holy Communion.
- **SEATING:** Every other pew has been taped-off closed for social distancing. In each open pew we have marked off, with stickers or tape, six feet of spacing as a point of reference. Families/Households sitting together do not need to safe distance.
- **WALK THIS WAY:** All aisles are marked with arrows on the floor to allow for safe flow of traffic during Communion.
- **COMMUNION:** Only the Body of Christ will be offered for the foreseeable future. Please practice six feet of social distancing at all times during communion.
- **SIGN OF PEACE:** Please use a non-contact sign of peace with a friendly wave to those around you.
- **PROCESSIONS:** The priest, deacon and ministers will not be processing via the center aisle before or after Mass.
- **SANITIZE:** While we will have some hand sanitizer pump bottles accessible in both churches, we encourage all to bring their own personal size supply to Mass if possible.
- **STREAMING CONTINUES:** We will continue to LiveStream the 9:00AM Mass on Facebook Live. The Saturday vigil Mass, as always, will be televised on Millbury Public Access channel (Charter Spectrum 194, Verizon Fios 28) Sundays at 9:00AM, Mondays at 2:00PM, and Tuesdays at 6:00PM.

flocknote

Flocknote is our parish communication tool we have to help keep parishioners informed and up-to-date on parish life, announcements, weather cancelations, etc. It is especially useful now to learn about how COVID-19 closings and reopenings are adjusting our parish scheduled activities. You can receive text message and/or email notifications. Visit our Flocknote page to sign up:

millburycatholic.flocknote.com